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LONDON, CANADA, FRIDAY, AUGUST 18, 1899.

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Births, Marriages, Deaths

DIED

WEIR-In London township, August 17, 1899, Jane Ann, relict of the late John Weir, aged

Funeral from the residence of her son-in-law, John McAdams, 14 concession, London township, on Saturday, August 19, at 7 p.m. Friends please accept this intimation.

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notice.

the Morning Post says: "It is stated

on all hands that the Boers in the outside districts are threatening that in the event of war they will murder

all the Englishmen and outrage their

All the burghers in the Krugersdorp

district were warned yesterday to be ready to take the field at a moment's

THE MISCREANT CAUGHT.

Rennes, Aug. 18.-The man who at-

tempted to murder Maitre Labori, lead-

ing counsel for Capt. Alfred Dreyfus,

has been arrested at Dol, in this de-

partment. His name is Glxorot. He is

a native of the department of Cotes-

Dol, is situated in the department of

Maitre Labori was able to leave his

bed for three hours yesterday, and

even to walk thrice across the room.

Madame Labori has received a num-

writer was sorry the would-be assassin

There was rioting last evening on

tween the Nationalists and anti-Sem-

ites. Four persons were seriously in-

DREYFUS' CHANCES.

New York Tribune, describing the proceedings in the trial of Capt. Drey-

The Rennes correspondent of the

"The chances of Drevfus' acquittal

pression on the court. It must be re-

Du-Nord, and has confessed.

had not killed Labori.

religion.

Burghers Notified To Be Ready | The Johannesburg correspondent of at a Moment's Notice.

Transvaal Will Make Concessions Regarding the Franchise.

Arrest of the Would-Be Murderer of Labori.

The Wounded Advocate May Attend Court Next Monday - Dreyfus' Chances Said To Be Growing Slim.

Ille-Et-Vilaine, fifteen miles by rail southeast of St. Malo. The latter place London, Aug. 18.—The Johannesburg is 44 miles N. N. W of Rennes. correspondent of the Daily Mail says: "I learn that, instead of replying to the proposal of Mr. Chamberlain to The doctors think he will be able to be refer the franchise controversy to a present at next Monday's session. joint commission of inquiry, the Transber of menacing letters. One said the vaal Government will intimate its willingness to grant a five-year simple franchise, retrospective and unclogged by restrictions and that the representation of the gold fields will be extended to one-fourth of the Volksraad, thus jured. exceeding the fifth demand by Sir Alfred Milner and rendering an inquiry into the present franchise law unne-

"Nothing will be demanded in return for these concessions, but a suggestion will be made that the imperial government should grant something reciprocal.

"This apparent surrender must, however, be received with caution. Unless the new laws are properly secured by effectual guarantees, they may only be intended to grant the shallow reforms with the object of gaining time and placing Great Britain at a disadvantage.'

The correspondent of the Times and the Standard at Johannesburg confirm the statement of the correspondent of the Daily Mail, asserting that the new scheme of the Transvaal executive is said to be the result of deliberations between Pretoria, Bloemfontein and the African politicians at Cape Town.

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Emily Crawford's Impressions of the Proceedings at Rennes.

Rennes, Aug. 18 .- Of yesterday's court proceedings, Mrs. Emily Crawford writes: Gen. Roget, M. Bertullus, the investigating magistrate; the widow of the late Lieut.-Col. Henry and Col. Picquart were on the stand yesterday. Madame Henry, after M. Bertullus had deposed, asked leave to speak. She stood up in a stagey manner, lifted her left hand, and said: "Je demande la parole." (I ask to be heard). She wanted to contradict what Bertullus had said regarding the friendship of her husband and Esterhazy. She would be a handsome woman, did not the vulgarity of the drinking house she originally came from cling to her. Subaltern officers revolve around her, but Mercier and other generals among whom she sits seem embarrassed by her presence. What she said was a tirade, learned by heart, and scarcely evidence. It however was not wide of some points that Bertullus brought out. She wanted to show that Ber-tulius could not possibly have wrung

the Boulevard de Magent, Paris, be-So far from Bertullus appearing to suspect Henry and crushing the lather late husband had described that magistrate as "charming." She said Bertullus even embraced Henry when jumped to the conclusion that false-hood lay behind the kiss and that are becoming smaller and smaller. Had judgment been pronounced last night it would in all probability have been a condemnation. The testimony of Gen. Roget made a miserably profound immembered that all the members of the court-martial are from the Polytechnic school, and from early youth have

been imbued with a respect of military authority almost amounting to a pathetic. So he said that he would "A galaxy of general officers con-gratulated Mme. Henry when she desay nothing to a lady whose grief he respected, and whose angry excitement scended from the witness stand, and he pardoned. from their radiant contenances it could be seen that they regarded Dreyfus' condemnation as a foregone conclu-

THE TRAITOR'S NAME. The correspondents of London papers in Rennes are almost unanimous in taking a gloomy view of the prospects of Capt. Dreyfus. They seem to believe it likely that he will be found guilty. The representative of the Daily Telegraph says that unless the German Government reveals the name of the real traitor, it is quite on the cards that the same verdict will be rendered as in the previous court-martial.

STORMS IN SPAIN. Madrid, Aug. 18.—During the last 24 He is fair, rather English-looking, rehave done immense damage. Railway and telegraphic communication with many points have been cut off, and there are numerous victims of wind and flood. At Ocana, 30 miles east of Toledo, a convent collapsed, and two beggars were killed.

THE ZIONIST CONGRESS. Basie, Switzerland, Aug. 18.-Russian and Galician delegates to the Zionist Congress attacked Dr. Herzl and his associates upon the report of the finance committee. Dr. Herzl replied at length, overwhelming the opposition and gaining enthusiastic applause. He more than ever the idol of the con-

ference. Max Nordau says all governments are favorably inclined to the movement, Russia relaxing the rule affecting meetings in favor of Zionists.

Dr. Herzi says \$60,000,000 has been

pledged in its support.

An important point in the proceedings of the congress today was an address by Rabbi Gottheil, of New York, describing the progress of Zionism in the United States.

DROUGHT RUINS RUSSIAN CROPS St. Petersburg, Aug. 18.—Reports from Southwest Russia say that the recent drought in that portion of the country has caused the utter loss of the winter and spring wheat crop.

THAT MEETING OF EMPERORS. The Associated Press is authorized to deny the report telegraphed from St. Petersburg to the London Daily Telegraph that the Emperors of Russia, Germany and Austria will meet in Poland early in October.

THE PARISIAN PLOTTERS. According to the Paris Figaro, the government has decided not to use force, but to wait until M. Guerin goes forth. Gen. Jacquey and Gen. Lague, who interviewed M. Guerin, says that he declared that he would resist to the death. The house is now guarded

by Republican Guards. M. Lasies, anti-Semitic deputy from the Condom district of the Gers, has consulted with his colleagues of the National Defense group, and has decided to send a circular to all the de-puties, asking them to join in a demand for the reopening of the Chamber of Deputies.

INCREASING THE SERVICE. Edinburgh, Aug. 18.—The Scotsman says that trade between Great Britain and the United States appears to be very flourishing, and that in consequence of the increase, a regular fortnightly steamship service will soon be established between the Tyne and New York, instead of the present occasion-

CABLE NOTES. Fifty Chileans were drowned by a train falling from a bridge into a flooded stream near Santiago de Chile. Dr. Von Benda, a member of the Reichstag and the Prussian Diet, and

is dead. The Lower House of the Prussian completion of the Dortmund-Ems Canal. The Lower House also defeated the central canal bill by a vote of 288

ed at Barcelona on a charge of embezzling 500,000 pesetas from a railway fore the court of cassation, was prescompany Drs. Mendoaz and Vincente, of Ma- of the counsel for the defense.

an avowal from Henry that he and Esterhazy formed an association of tracers. Her story coincided with what Gen. Roget said on this subject. ter with words of suspicion, she said the latter was taking his leave—a circumstance which struck the wife when she heard of it as boding no good. She Bertullus was a Judas. This idea she then developed into a passionate peroration that seemed a lesson learned by heart. Madame Henry was very like the late Mademoiselle Agar, the actress, as she indulged in this piece of dramatic vengeance. Bertullus felt that it would never do to argue with her; for tears were standing in her eyes and the judges were looking sym-

Gen. Roget showed extraordinary forensic ability. I do not know what the military worth is of the generals who are acting here as witnesses, but I do not wonder at the old judges of the court of cassation being jealous of their argumentative capacity, their skill in turning a point inside out, in puzzling innuendo, in casuistry, and in elegant verbal facility. Mercier is wonderful in these respects. Billot is not inferior to him, but Roget is the superior of both in forensic skill, acumen and suggestiveness. Roget is a very able man. He is the son of a gendarme in the Pyrenees, and obtained his commission by passing the examinations. gular in features, and cold and deliberate in manner. He speaks distinctly and rather slowly, but does not fall into the defect into which Madame

Henry fell, of making every syllable a long one. Dreyfus was under Roget as an outsider at the general staff, and seemed tortured by his arguments and the points he made-points that went home to the military judges, and were intended to poison their minds. Finally he could stand it no longer, and, starting up, his eyes gleaming with anger, he cried: "You deal only in argumen-tations. I have listened to you for hours without hearing a single fact." There were, nevertheless, some facts today; but they were adduced to destroy the credit of Col. Picquart, who was represented, when head of the intelligence department, as playing a crooked

part, and keeping back every piece of information unfavorable to Dreyfus. Maitre Demange made many happy points in putting questions to Gen. Roget, who dodged them with presence of mind and address, and when in a corner, with cool impudence. Still, Roget had the ear of the court. He knows how to speak to specialized mili-

The evidence of M. Bertullus was, on the whole, favorable to Dreyfus, in the judgment of civilian listeners. Unfortunately, his reputation is blown upon. He belonged, when at Nice, to the Southral gang, and as the magistrate sent to investigate their swindle, played into their hands. Gen. Roget alluded to this, and to other doings of Bertullus, and showed that he did not respect him. M. Bertullus is an epicurean and has rather shocked Rennes people by his rather gay relations with a former actress, who somewhat rolls in riches. Still, he seems to me a fair and truthful witness, and his deposition must affect the public.

THE COURT MARTIAL

Col. Picquart Controverts the Statements of Gen. Roget.

Rennes, Aug. 18 .- When the second trial by court-martial of Capt. Alfred and the frame of the sash through which he was looking crashed in. On Dreyfus, charged with treason, was resumed in the Lycee at 7:25 this morning, Col. Picquart, former chief of the intelligence department of the war office, was called to the witness stand and continued his deposition, which was interrupted by the adjournment of

the court for the day. The colonel gave his testimony in the same loud, fearless tone of voice. He commenced by declaring he thought it necessary to immediately reply to Gen. Roget's veritable arraignment of him while the latter was on the stand.

At the outset of Col. Picquart's remarks. Roget interposed, and said he former leader of the National Liberals, would reply to them. Continuing, Col. Picquart proceeded to discuss the secret dossier as being the mainspring of Diet, by a vote of 212 to 209, rejected ret dossier as being the mainspring of the second reading of the bill relating the condemnation of Dreyfus. He took to the Dortmund-Rhine Canal, and the up the document successively, referring up the document successively, referring to the writers, and addresses of the letters as "A" and "B." Among those present in court were Gens. Zurlinden and Billiot, formerly ministers of war. Senor Jose, member of the Spanish Maitre Mornard, who argued the case Chamber of Deputies, has been arrest- in behalf of the Dreyfus family, for the revision of the prisoner's sentence beent this morning to assist M. Demange,

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Branch-Cor. Richmond and Piccadilly. the witness. The confrontation, however, lasted only a few minutes, and did not prove sensational, having reference to comparatively minor points.

ments, the court adjourned at 11:40 a.m. until tomorrow.

The deposition of Col. Picquart occupied the entire session.

After Picquart had reiterated his state-

PRESS COMMENT

Editorial Views on Developments in the Dreyfus Case.

London, Aug. 18 .- A dispatch to the Morning Post from Rennes, indicates the activity of the censorship there. Gen. Mercier's insulting references to Emperor William and certain allusions to the secret dossier were suppressed while Gen. Mercier's uterances were

toned down. The correspondents of the London morning newspapers are, however, unanimous in their opinion that the tide has finally turned in favor of Dreyfus. The evidence yesterday (Thursday) was so favorable to him that even some of the anti-Dreyfusites would fain admit that the scales are falling from their eyes. Madame Henry's dramatic characterization of M. Bertullus as Judas failed of the intended effect. because he immediately handed Col. Jouaust, president of the court-martial, an anonymous letter that he had received, proving the whole scheme pre-

All the correspondents remarked also the grateful demeanor of Dreyfus on hearing for the first time witnesses in

The correspondent of the Daily Chronicle predicts that Dreyfus will be recondemned, and that the sentence will of excitement and uprisings incidental upon an acquittal. He believes that the latitude allowed the generals in court points to submission to what in France

is a sacred image, "reasons of state." The correspondent of the Times comments upon the change that came over the aspect of affairs when Maitre Demange began tentatively to cross-examine the witnesses, his questions leaving Gen. Roget utterly disconcerted. He remarks, too, upon the fact that Col. Jouanst failed to confront Roget with Bertullus, whose evidence, there-

fore, had its full effect. The Rennes correspondent of the Daily Telegraph says: "The court was hypnotized by the evidence of M. Bertullus. No more terrible or dramatic story was ever told in a court of justice, and its effect was heightened a hundredfold by the soft, sweet-toned voice and gentle manner of the witness, who recorded such infamous deeds.Gen. Roget, meanwhile, sat on pins and needles. His face grew livid, his hands clutched at his clothing convulsively, and his facial muscles quivered as if with a nervous attack. Presently, with a sound such as an adder-sting might cause, he rose to his feet, steadied himself for a moment, and then dragged himself outside. Later, when he had recovered his equanimity in the open air, he spoke to an artist who had been sketching him, and said: "You have been very unlucky today; another.

time I will pose better." TRIED TO KILL

Bullet Passed Within a Few Inches of His Head-Deliberate Deed.

Lindsay, Ont., Aug. 18.—Mr. James Greaves, conductor of the G. T. R train running daily between here and Coboconk, had a narrow escape from being shot while crossing Wilson's siding, three miles this side of Coboconk, Wednesday night. It is Mr. Greaves' custom to ascertain at the different points along the line on the up trip the number of cars to be taken on the down trip in the morning, and when passing Wilson's siding he was looking out of the closed window counting the cars, when he heard the report of a rifle examination it was found that the bullet passed through the frame and out of an open window on the other side of the coach, passing within a few inches of the conductor's head. Everything points to it being a deliberate attempt on Mr. Greaves' life, and yet he himself cannot account for the affair unless it was done by a tramp whom the conductor compelled to pay his fare when stealing a ride a few days ago.

DIED AT THE AGE OF NINETY-SIX. Hamilton, Aug. 18.-Mrs.Foley, widow of the late Mr. T. Foley, died at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Hendrie, No. 160 Rebecca street, on Wednesday. She was 96 years of age. She leaves three daughters and two sons-Mrs. H. Hanifin, Oregon; Mrs. Murphy and Mrs. Hendrie, of this city; S. J. Foley, Chicago; John Foley, Port

BLOODY FIGHT.

Washington, Aug. 18.-United States Minister Russell, at Caracas, reported that insurgent troops in the State of Los Andes, Venezuela, under Gen. Citriano Castro, were completely defeated by the government troops in a battle, which lasted eighteen The loss of the insurgents is bloody drid, who were sent officially to study the plague at Oporto, Portugal, telegraph that the cases observed by them are "very characteristically bubonic." of the counsel for the defense.

Rennes, Aug. 17.—At the conclusion placed at 800 killed and wounded, that of the government at 300. This get and Mercler rose together and askhours. placed at 800 killed and wounded, and that of the government at 300. This is the end of the disturbance in that sec-